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Note verbale dated 29 July 2016 from the Permanent Mission of Malaysia to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of Malaysia to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2140 (2014) and has the honour to submit the report of the Government of Malaysia prepared pursuant to paragraphs 3 and 14 of Council resolution 2216 (2015) (see annex).

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Report of the Government of Malaysia submitted pursuant to Security Council resolution 2216 (2015)

1. Malaysia remains committed to the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2140 (2014), 2204 (2015) and 2216 (2015) concerning Yemen.

2. In this regard, Malaysia is pleased to submit to the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2140 (2014) the steps it has taken with a view to implementing the obligations contained in paragraphs 3 and 14 of resolution 2216 (2015).

Travel ban

3. In complying with paragraph 3 of Security Council resolution 2216 (2015), the Immigration Department of Malaysia has imposed travel bans under Immigration Act 1959/63 to prevent the entry into or transit through its territories of the two individuals designated by the Committee.

4. The Immigration Department of Malaysia has further confirmed that there is no record of the listed individuals having entered or left Malaysia.

Asset freeze

5. The Central Bank of Malaysia has implemented the asset freeze pursuant to paragraph 3 of resolution 2216 (2015) on the individuals designated by the Committee under Central Bank of Malaysia regulations 2016 (implementation of the United Nations Security Council resolutions relating to the Republic of Yemen) of the Central Bank of Malaysia Act 2009. The regulations were published in the official gazette of the Malaysian Government on 15 February 2016.

6. In July 2016, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Malaysia was notified by the Malaysian Central Bank that the latter had taken action under section 82 of the Central Bank of Malaysia Act 2009 to freeze a bank account registered under a name designated by the Committee, as follows:

Name: Ahmed Ali Abdullah Saleh
Passport No.: 02117777
Nationality: Yemen

7. The status of the above account is dormant, as it was frozen by the Central Bank of Malaysia, effective 22 March 2016, in line with the obligation under resolution 2216 (2015).

Arms embargo

8. The Malaysian authorities conform to the arms embargo under paragraph 14 of resolution 2216 (2015) in accordance with various domestic laws, including the Strategic Trade Act (2010) and the Strategic Trade (Restricted End Users and Prohibited End Users) Order 2010.

9. Malaysia reaffirms its commitment to its obligations under the Charter of the United Nations and the relevant resolutions of the Security Council, and stands ready to extend its cooperation to the Panel of Experts on Yemen and to the Committee.